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Cattle Rustlers Are Caught. Await Trial

A band of cattle rustlers, that have been bothering the authorities for some time past, have at last been laid by the heels in Moyerton district, on the Battle River. Among the outlaws caught were the Johnston brothers of Monitor district, Art and Charles, who have been apparently rustling in this part for the past two years. They were apprehended with a bunch of the stolen stock on their ranch. There are also several charges of horse stealing awaiting them from various parts of Alberta and Montana.

The parties apprehended were taken to Fort Saskatchewan to await trial.

*(contributed)

CHURCH NOTICES St. Laurence Church

REV. W. S. WICKENDEN, R.A., L.T.H.
PASTOR.

Divine Service will be held on Sunday next at 7.30 p.m.
Sunday school at 12 noon.

A number of questions placed in the question Box have been answered lately. On Sunday next at the conclusion of the Service, the Rev. W. S. Wickenden will answer the question "Is there any evil in dancing?"

On Sunday Jan. 25, at Divine Service, a sermon will be delivered by the Rev. H. Sherstone, L.T.H. on the "Forward Movement"

Village Finances Are In Splendid Shape

It has been ascertained that the village council during the past year, conducted the civic affair with such success, that the Village is absolutely free from debt in every way, and there is moreover a small sum standing to their credit in the bank. This state of affairs reflects the greatest credit on the city fathers and puts Monitor in an enviable position as a community. However, now that the year is closed, it might be to the advantage of their successors, to see that something is done with reference to Fire protection in the place. As far as we can see, we have not even got an organized "Bucket line". There is no time like the present to start things rolling in the right direction, and a community of the size and progressiveness of Monitor should certainly be equipped with suitable apparatus for fighting fires.

A word to the wise should be sufficient.

Farmers—It will pay you to remember, after you have your crop in, that we represent the strongest company in Hail Insurance in history. It will be to your advantage to call in at the News office and get particulars and rates.

Syndicate is Being Formed to Handle Oil

On Thursday last we were fortunate enough to secure an interview with Mr. Lea, recently of Texas, and late of Calgary covering the possibilities of the oil-industry development at this point.

Mr. Lea stated in his interview that he did not pose as an "expert" on oil matters at all, but that his experience had been a wide and varied one, and that he generally knew what he was talking about. He spoke on the point that the largest oil companies in the world seemed interested in this district, and he said that it mainly depended upon the levels of the land about 2000 feet down, as to whether or not drilling operations would meet with success.

It appears to be the general impression amongst those surveyors who have worked in this district, that Monitor is situated on the apex of a small rise, that may cover a territory of twenty miles. If this condition is so (referring of course, to the underground structure) then doubtless immense quantities of oil are awaiting the drillers. If on the other hand, the structure is flat, when the wells are drilled the immense pressure of the water underneath the oil will force the oil back and away, and a large water well, with a little gas, be the only result.

Mr. Lea also stated that he had been out to the Mud Batches to look over the land for people that were interested in Calgary. He said that such rock as he was able to examine was of such construction that oil was somewhere in the locality, but owing to the amount of snow, he was unable to give any definite information on the subject.

While nothing definite can be ascertained, it is highly probable that at least two outfits will commence operations for well drilling in this district in the spring.

So far, the Express office at this point has not been swamped with consignments of booze or liquor to the residents of this community—thereby giving the lie to the "total prohibition" agitators. Some of these last named cranks are slowly awakening to the fact that a man can have a drink once in awhile, and at the same time be more of a man than the cranks themselves. That's just where the shoe pinches.

Now, we understand, tobacco is to be placed on the taboo list and right there the army of the cranks meets its Waterloo.

This article is not intended to advocate the return of the open bar system—far from it. It is the outcome of a poor policy, poorly handled and bringing poor results. Russia tried it and got Bolshevism—what will we get?

School Board Holds Their First Meeting

The newly-elected School Board held its first meeting this year on Saturday last, the 10th Jan. Mr. A. Grace was elected to the chairmanship of the Board, and Mr. W. S. Wickenden re-elected to the position of Secretary-Treasurer.

It was decided at this meeting to put into immediate operation the Tax Enforcement Act as the school must have taxes that are in arrears right away in order that Debenture payments be met, and sufficient money on hand to pay the teachers salaries. At time of writing the bank has loaned the school Board the limit.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of our dear daughter, Helen Walker, who passed away at McLeod on January 15th, 1919.

Sleep on, dear daughter and take thy rest
Forever on thy Father's breast.
Life was desired, but God did see,
Eternal rest was best for thee.

Her cheery way, her smiling face
Are a pleasure to recall.
She had a kindly word for each
And died—loved by all.

May the Heavenly winds blow softly
O'er that sweet and hallowed spot.
Mid the changing scenes of life, dear
Helen you will never be forgot.

Inserted by her loving parents.

Nelda Allen Passes Away

Towards the latter part of last week, the sad news was received in town of the death of Nelda, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen, at present living in Montana, who formerly resided here. Death occurred following an operation for appendicitis. The deceased, who was well known in the district leaves to mourn her loss, her sorrowing parents, to whom the sympathy of the community is extended in their hour of sorrow.

If a woman loses her only mirror, she loses all interest in life.

Impossible.

"Why don't Bill's relatives get a good face on his marriage?"
"Put a good face on it! Have you seen the girl?"

Measuring the Earth.

An effort is being made to induce the Commonwealth and its six states to combine and provide £2,000 for measuring the earth, that is, for obtaining an accurate determination of Australian longitude by means of wireless signals sent out from Aden and Durban (Panama) to Sydney, New South Wales, and Greenwich. Dr. J. M. Baldwin, Victorian Government astronomer, says that in order to measure the earth it is necessary to have two wireless stations at places called A and B. The exact local time at each station having been observed by the stars a series of wireless signals is sent from a third station C and the difference in time of reception of the signals at A and B enable the determining of the longitude in hours, minutes and seconds, which can be easily worked out as degrees, minutes and seconds. Similar experiments in 1913 showed that the meridian of longitude at Washington was one-twentieth of a second out and the imaginary line had to be moved about fifty feet.

A New Thermometer.

For industries where temperature records are of value an inventor has devised a registering thermometer that can be connected to and operated by an alarm clock.

Annual School Meeting Elects Officers Arranges Program

Wednesday, January 7th, the Annual School Meeting was held in the school auditorium.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman of the Board of Trustees, Mr. H. McCarron, who then called upon the Secretary-Treasurer Mr. Wickenden, to read the various reports. The first report read was the teachers report. This report showed the number of book, maps, desks etc., there were on the school books, the number of days school was open etc etc, but no mention was made as to what subjects were being taught in the school, or the general attitude of the scholars. The total number of scholars on the roll is 74.

School was open 194 days.

The average attendance for the year was 31.57. The highest monthly attendance was attained in February with 54, the lowest in August with 26.

The Treasurers and Auditors reports were then rendered which appeared satisfactory.

These were followed by the report of the Inspector of schools, Wm. Gray, Esq. This report stated amongst other things that there was decided room for improvement in beautifying the grounds of the school. He reported that the general conduct of the scholars was good and that the teachers were evidently conscientiously taking pains with their work.

Further, Mr. Gray reported that their was room for more discipline in the senior room, and less play in the other room.

Then followed the nominations and election of two trustees for the ensuing period, the results of which were announced last week.

It is the intention, we believe of the Board, to arrange for a School Fair to be held in Monitor sometime this coming Summer. Particulars concerning this will be published as soon as they are available.

In this connection, however, a Central Committee has been formed, composed of Messrs Matheson, J. Hayes, Tinkess, Deudmarsh, Todd together with the Trustees and teachers of the Monitor School. These people will keep in touch with the committees formed at the following schools in this district namely, Creek Valley, Basin Lake, Lone, Hillinvale, Horse Sho, Minor, Stonelaw, Whitton and Neutral Hills, acting in conjunction with them for the launching of the fair.

Many a man who said "I told you so" never even thought of it.

Some mothers teach their babies to talk, and then expect the wee mites to hear and keep still.

Negotiations are often opened with a corkscrew.

Many a man stubs his toe on the threshold of success.

CHANGE IN TRAIN SERVICE



Effective January 18th, 1920 there will be a general change in train service. Times for trains at MONITOR will be:-

No. 617
Daily ex. Sun.
3.05 p.m.
arr Monitor Lv 12.40 p.m.
arr 11.40 a.m.

No. 618
Daily ex. Sun.
arr Monitor Lv 12.40 p.m.
arr 11.40 a.m.

For further particulars apply to any ticket Agent.

J. E. PROCTOR,
District Passenger Agent
Calgary

This, however, does not alter the schedule at present existing on this branch on the C. P. R. Readers will do well to remember this.

Local Happenings

LOST—In Monitor, on the 15th of December a pair of gold rimmed spectacles in a case. Reward offered. Finder please leave at News Office.

Mrs B.R. Cramer left on Thursday last for Fort Dodge, Iowa, U.S.A.

Our Local school has recently added another grade to its roster. All grades are now represented from the primary to Grade Ten.

Accidents will always happen—why not stop "taking a chance" and take out an Accident Insurance Policy instead? Call at the News office and get acquainted with the particulars and then act.

Dave Vosburgh, of the Moose Bar Billiard Parlors here, left last week on an extended business trip to the States.

Where's the Board Of Trade?

Some little time ago, there were vague rumors in the air that a Board of Trade for Monitor was to be formed. Has any thing been done yet? Surely it is high time for a move to be made in this direction. In order to get things started, why not have the secretary of the old Board call a meeting of all the business men in town and at this meeting elect the necessary officers, and get started.

Monitor Village Council

The Village council held its first meeting on January 5th. There were present, Messrs Moth, Horsch, Hamer and Wickenden.

Councillor Moth was again elected to the office of Secretary-Treasurer.

A general discussion took place on matters pertaining to Public Health, Draying and Livery Licences. And matters were taken in hand to commerce proceedings under the Tax Enforcement Act.

The next meeting, we understand, is to be held the first Monday in February.

NURSES ADVISE

Zam-Buk, because they have proved that it does what is claimed for it. Miss E. L. Doney, graduate nurse, of 3220 Michigan Ave., Chicago, says: "I have a patient who suffered terribly with piles. Zam-Buk is the only remedy that gave her relief."

"I have used Zam-Buk myself for the same ailment, also for sores and burns, and have the greatest confidence in it."

Zam-Buk

Canada's Second

"One Hundred Days"

Canadians everywhere have read, or listened to recitals of Canada's wonderful "One Hundred Days," that period from August 8 to November 11, 1918, when the ever victorious Canadian Corps was the spearhead of the great Allied advance from Amiens to Mons and which resulted in the unconditional surrender of the German armies. Those "One Hundred Days" will live forever, not only in the history of Canada, but in the history of all nations, of civilization itself.

It is now a well established fact that it was the wonderful attack of the Canadians from Amiens on August 8, 1918, that brought the war to an end that year. General Ludendorff, the German chief of staff, has admitted it. The higher Allied command have acknowledged that the attack from Amiens was ordered solely with the object in view of freeing the Amiens-Paris railway from enemy gun fire, and, with that accomplished, that it was the intention to stand on the defence throughout the winter of 1918-1919 until the United States army was fully in the field and ready for a great spring offensive. But so successful was the Canadian attack, resulting in the greatest penetration of an opposing line in the whole history of the war, that the success was further exploited, with the result that on November 11 the Germans surrendered and signed the most humiliating armistice terms ever signed by a great nation.

Canada now faces at the beginning of this year of 1920 another "one hundred days" which are fraught with great possibilities for good or ill in the welfare of this Dominion and its people. During the past year, as our soldiers were returning home in their tens of thousands every month, a very large measure of success was met with the finding suitable places of employment for them, with the result that their re-establishment in the civilian life of the country has proceeded rapidly and with a minimum of friction, suffering and loss to all concerned. Compared with other lands there has been little unemployment in Canada, nor has it been found necessary to retain a large body of men in khaki and under military pay in order to prevent a considerable number from complete idleness and unemployment.

A period has now been reached during these winter months when unemployment is on the increase and a goodly and increasing number of men who fought overseas are in need of work. This fact is disclosed by the

weekly and monthly reports from Government employment bureaux all over the country, and it is manifesting itself in these western provinces. This period will be short, probably about three months, until spring operations on the farms, building programs in the cities and towns, construction work on roads and railways, begin. But this period must be tide over, not only in the interests of the men themselves and their families, but in the interests of Canada. Between now and the commencement of spring activities in all branches of business comes Canada's second vital, all important "One Hundred Days."

The Dominion government has provided a federal emergency appropriation to assist men out of work, but it is vastly more important that work should be provided for these men rather than that they should be in receipt of grants from the government while remaining in idleness. It is far better that employers of labor should make work for these men, even if no profit accrues to themselves therefrom, or even at a slight immediate loss, than that the men should remain idle. In any event the people must pay the cost through taxes if these men are maintained through emergency appropriation. It is better that the men be employed, even if it be at a comparatively small salary, and in training for work which they will be fitted to do, after these one hundred days have passed and the activities of the spring and summer seasons have begun.

Fitting these men into places now, whether on the farm, in the shop, or office, training them for work, thus enabling them to become acquainted with their tasks, will make them more valuable helpers a few months hence, consequently the pay given them for unproductive work now will yield dividends in better and more work later on. It will result in gain to both employer and employee.

From a national standpoint, it will be found to be wise. Greater production is unquestionably the greatest of all needs of this country, that is, greater production along all lines. Only by a larger production and the development of its wealth of natural resources can this country escape bankruptcy, and the people be relieved of a grinding load of taxation and debt. By getting every idle man busy now in training for, and familiarizing himself with, the work he will later undertake with his full and more largely developed capacity, the best possible initial step will be taken to guarantee and make possible that larger production in Canada which the necessities of our national position call for in 1920.

As Influenza

is an exaggerated form of Grip. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE (Tablets) should be taken in larger doses than is prescribed for ordinary Grip. A good plan is not to wait until you are sick, but PREVENT IT by taking LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets in time.

It takes an expert to tell the difference between war and peace in Mexico.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

Had 'Em All

"What kind of breakfast food have you?" the dyspeptic travelling salesman asked the rural New England waitress.

"We've got all the reg'lar kinds," said she, "ham and eggs, fried steak, fried bacon, griddle cakes, doughnuts and an apple pie. What'll it be?"

CHILBLAINS

Easily and Quickly Cured with
EGYPTIAN LINIMENT

For Sale by All Dealers
Douglas & Co., Proprietors, Napanee, Ont.

Women's Wage Act Extended

The Women's Minimum Wage Act has been extended to women employees in hotels and restaurants, according to a decision of the Saskatchewan Legislature, and now applies in addition to this class of help to women employees in laundries, stores and mail order houses.

HEART SO BAD WAS NOT SAFE TO LEAVE HER ALONE

Miss Eva P. Yatemann, Krugersdorf, Ont., writes:—"I feel that I must write and tell you of a benefit I have received from Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. About four years ago I was taken terribly ill with heart, nerves and fainting spells, and was down in bed for about six months. I doctored with two different doctors and seemed to get better, although the fainting spells would not leave me. I would take such terrible falls, wherever I was, that it was not safe to leave me at home at any time. At last I decided to resort to proprietary medicines and took several different kinds, but seemed to receive but little benefit from them. One day noticing the advertisement for Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills I decided to try them, and before I had taken more than two boxes I could see they were helping me. I have taken about ten boxes, and am almost cured of those terrible spells. I sincerely feel that your medicine has proved a blessing to me, and I advise any one troubled with their heart to try them, as I am confident they will find relief."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c a box at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

The upper ten is composed of the winning mine and the umpire.

If a man has plenty of sand he always has plenty of grit.

"SYRUP OF FIGS"

CHILD'S LAXATIVE

Look at tongue! Remove poisons from little stomach, liver and bowels



Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious fruit taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear. Mother! You must say "California."

Length of Animal Life.

A dog at 20 or 25 years can no longer drag himself along; a pig is a tottering veteran at 20; at 15 the most a cat no longer chases mice; the goat and sheep at 10 or 15 touch extreme old age; the rabbit is at the end of its skin at 8 or 10; and the rat, if it lives 4 years, is a prodigy of longevity. Among birds, the pigeon may live from 6 to 10 years; the guinea fowl hen, and turkey, 12. A goose lives longer; it attains 25 years, and even a good deal more. The goldfinch and sparrow, birds free from care, always singing, always frisking, happy as possible with a ray of sunlight in the foliage and a grain of hemp-seed, live as long as the goose. These very happy little birds live from 20 to 25 years, the age of an ox.

Warning From Health Bureau

Anthrax Cases Have Been Traced to
Jap Shaving Brushes

If anyone has recently purchased a new shaving brush they should make sure it did not come out of a consignment tainted with anthrax. Two cases of this disease in London, England, have been traced to Japanese shaving brushes. Anthrax is an infectious and usually fatal disease of animals, especially sheep and cattle, but occasionally attacks human beings. It is characterized by ulcerations of the skin, enlargement of the spleen and general collapse.

Dr. Seymour, public health commissioner for Saskatchewan, has been advised by the department of health, Ottawa, as follows:

The following telegram has been received from the high commissioner of Canada, London, and is transmitted to you for your information:

"Ministry of health informs me that in investigating sources of two cases of anthrax, in London, it has been found that some shaving brushes manufactured in Japan and bearing identification marks 1736-2592 and 5238, were infected with anthrax. Four other consignments believed to be of Japanese origin have since been found infected. Identification numbers 119 stroke 146-1022-1040 and 1073. Steps have been taken by the ministry to stop the sale of all brushes from infected consignments."

—D. A. Clark, Assistant Deputy Minister.

A Mule's Epitaph.

An army mule at one of the cantonments "went west." The private who had charge of the last rites had to fill out the regulation form, and came across the suggestion, "Disposition of carcass."

After a moment's thought Sammie wrote on the blank line: "Mean and deceitful."—Dallas Holland's Magazine.

Dyed Child's Coat And Her Old Skirt

"Diamond Dyes" Made Faded, Shabby Apparel so Fresh and New

Don't worry about perfect results. Use "Diamond Dyes" guaranteed to give a new, rich, fadeless color to any fabric, whether it be wool, silk, linen, cotton or mixed goods—dresses, blouses, stockings, skirts, children's coats, feathers, draperies, coverings—everything.

The Direction Book with each package tells how to diamond dye over any color.

To match any material, have dealer show you "Diamond Dyes" Color Card.

Never eat pie with a knife. It's all right to eat cheese with pie, but knives should be eaten alone.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

A Nasty Man.

Wife (with newspaper)—Just think of it! A couple got married a few days ago after a courtship which lasted fifty years.

Hub—I suppose the poor old man was too feeble to hold out any longer.

ONLY TABLETS MARKED "BAYER" ARE ASPIRIN

Not Aspirin at All without the "Bayer Cross"



For Colds, Pain, Lumbago, Stiffness, Rheumatism, Sciatica, Neuritis, and for Headache, Neuralgia, Toothache, Earache, take Aspirin marked with the name "Bayer" or you are not taking Aspirin at all.

Accept only "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in an unbroken "Bayer" package.

There is only one Aspirin—Bayer. Aspirin is the trade mark (registered in Canada) of Bayer Manufacture of Monoacetic acid ester of Salicylic acid. While it is well known that Aspirin means Bayer, the public should be warned that the Tablets of Bayer Company will be stamped with their general trade mark, the "Bayer Cross."



Use Cuticura to Keep Your Hair From Falling

How many times have I heard given this advice to men who are losing their hair because of dandruff and scalp irritation. At night rub Cuticura Ointment into the scalp. Next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. A clean, healthy scalp means good hair.

Cuticura Soap 25c, Ointment 25c and 50c, Talcum 25c plus Canadian duties. Sold everywhere. Get sample each free address: Cuticura, Dept. N, Boston, U. S. A.



When Fatigued Acup of OXO is both refreshing and invigorating.

Ready in a minute—the minute you want it.

Time 10c, 25c, 50c, \$1.15, \$2.25.

Yes, Cold All Gone—Not A Bit of Cough Left

Felt great this morning. As soon as I felt it coming on yesterday I used Gray's Syrup and slipped it in the bud. Just couldn't get an hour at the office, we are so busy and short-handed. Gray's Syrup is a habit in our family. The folks have used it for sixty years. I always buy the Large Size.

GRAY'S SYRUP
OF
RED SPRUCE GUM
Montreal D. WATSON & Co., New York

In the Draft.

Deacon—Brer Johnson, won't you all come to wa'da' an' v'oluntah' fo' shmy ob' de Lord?

Brer Johnson (ex-soldier)—No sah, reckons I'll wait fo' de draft!

Better retrace a wrong step than pursue a wrong course.

PILES

Do not suffer another day with itching, bleeding, or protruding piles. No surgical operation required.

Dr. Chase's Ointment will relieve you as once and as certainly cure you. 50c or 1.00; all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Sample box free if you mention this paper ad. enclose 25c stamp to pay postage.

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A food in every sense:
*nourishing, delicious,
economical.*

Easy to digest because
of twenty hours baking.
Ready-to-serve.

G. W. V. A. NOTES

FIRST ANNIVERSARY

DANCE

Given by the local branch, G.W.V.A., to celebrate the first anniversary of the formation of the local.

in the

BIG HALL, MONITOR

Music by the Monitor Citizens Band

Thursday Jan. 29th

Admission \$1.

Ladies Free

Visiting Comrades Cordially Invited

No sign of the relief of the

SUGAR

SHORTAGE

But we have on hand a few sacks of yellow sugar. Buy while you have the chance—the price is still going up, and our next shipment will be at the advanced prices.

APPLES

No. 1's per box \$3.25

No. 2's per box \$3.10

GRAMOPHONES

We still have a \$30 machine for sale at

\$22.00

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Always a supply on hand

A. J. DEADMARSH

WE LEAD—NEVER FOLLOW

BRING YOUR CREAM HERE

The PIONEER STORE

MONITOR

HARDWARE



Shelf and Heavy Hardware

Farm Implements Furniture

Paints, Glass and Oils

Undertaking Supplies

We have in Stock 2 Gasoline Engines, 1 1/2 and 2 H. P.
1 only double gear Wind Mill with 30 ft Tower

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COME IN and LOOK AROUND

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M. J. LIKNES Manager

NOTICE

For sale by private treaty

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OFFERS ARE INVITED for purchase of the above land.

APPLY TO Messrs. Griesbach, O'Connor & Company, Solicitors, Post Office Drawer 158, Edmonton, Alberta.

F. Sternberg

Auctioneer

No distance too far for me to go. Phone or write to me at

CONSORT

or see the manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce

'KIRRIEMUJIK KOLUM'

R. V. McKenzie left for Toronto Saturday Mr. McKenzie has been running here, The United Grain Growers Elevator

Jack Ward brought in a full load of horses for sale.

Little Myrtle Lovell was taken very sick, Dr. Robinson and Mr. Lovell taking her to Coronation Hospital Saturday. Mrs. Boone and Freddie Jr. going with them also.

Mr. Griffiths left for England Monday.

Mr. Adkins the new Bank Teller arrived Tuesday.

Mr. F. Woodman brother of Mrs. E. L. Atzler arrived Jan. first on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Aizier.

At the annual school board meeting R. R. Hamilton was elected chairman.

Mrs. Dowler speaker for the U. F. W. A. gave a lecture in school house Monday eve.

Mr. Griffiths teller in the Merchants Bank left for England Monday.

Mrs. H. Hennessy has arrived home from Gadaby where she has been for three weeks visiting her mother who was sick.

Dr. Robinson visited Kirriemuir Friday.

Mr. Liknes of Monitor is visiting his son Martin this week.

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Weekly newspaper published in the interests of Monitor—the hub of Central America's Grain Belt and the finest stock raising district on the Continent—and its tributary districts.

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Transient advertisements—25 cents per inch, in advance.

Display, 6 mos. contract, 20 cents per inch. Yearly contract, 15 cents per inch each issue.

All changes of advertisements must reach this office by Thursday noon.

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Canada \$1.50 per year. Foreign \$2.00 per year in advance.

The Editor will not assume responsibility for the opinions of others as expressed in these columns.

No unsigned manuscript will be published.

H. A. WARNER

Editor and Publisher.

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ALERT ALTARIO

The week has been marked by three important meetings, which on the whole were well attended, considering weather time and other conditions.

There was a large and representative gathering in the schoolhouse Wednesday 7th at the First Annual Meeting of the Altario Hospital Board. Alfred Wight chairman gave a succinct account of the working of the Board since August. It was gratifying to hear that despite 3 crop failures the people here have loyally supported the scheme to the extent of nearly \$900. Altario Hospital Auction Sale was a record one thus giving the funds a boost up then came the Women Institute contribution from Bazar, Concerts, Dances, and so the money rolled in to the enthusiastic tune of "all pull together" There was considerable discussion on the size of the hospital many supporters thinking the cottage too small to start with. Unable to arrive at a definite conclusion as to the new officers to be elected the motion was passed that the old board act meantime and at a later and larger meeting the business of election of officers would be conducted.

The Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. J. D. Robinson with 12 members present. The meeting was crowded with business, which, under the capable direction of our President, was carried then to a successful finish. The year's programme of addresses and papers was arranged for, the subjects embracing almost everything that interests womenfolk from the cradle to the grave.

There is still room for a few more recipes in the Altario Cook Book which this Institute is publishing and any lady who has a good reliable receipt for making what will keep the inner man in a good humor at meal times is asked to pass it on to the Secretary here. The papers read were "A woman on the Warpath" by Nellie McClung and an Article on Household Hints by Mrs. Oxtow a very helpful and interesting take on matters dear to the housewife's heart. It was decided to send Mrs. N. D. Robinson as delegate to the Annual Convention also to elect as 3rd Vice President Mrs. J. Walker. With a good get away like this the W. I. promises well for 1920

Altario continued

The School meeting was on Saturday and from the meagre attendance it is to be deplored there is so little interest taken by parents to the education of their children. Besides the election of Trustees the business discussed was the Inspector's reports the School Fair, the desirability of increasing the Schoolhouse with another room the extension of the Library the furnishing of art pictures and the purchase of a piano. The bugbear of the uncollected taxes was dealt with and it was announced that it would be necessary to take drastic measures to compel the taxpayers to take immediate action. The trustees for 1920 are C. Staley H. Walker. G. N. Leod Sec. J. McNaughton will act as Janitor

The jolliest little dance in the school was held on Friday the 9th an impromptu affair that was voted the best yet. The spirit of mischief had entered into one of our respected townsmen and with the aid of a tall top hat he kept everyone in fits of laughter. We heard some of the revellers say they asked next day as they had not laughed so heartily for years. The ladies took the floor and called out their choices in the most approved Leap Year style an excellent supper followed and thanks are due to all who contributed to such a delightful evening.

A member of the Institute will be glad if any friends would pass her a book or magazine dealing with this subject "Women and Children of other lands" Kindly send to Newsman Altario who will see that loan is returned in good shape.

Miss Inkster is back again in her accustomed stride and her entrance pupils are busy with homework study in view of the coming exams.

Ski-ing seems fashionable amongst the boys and we met two enthusiasts tearing along the trail at a great rate would it not be possible to make this sport more popular still and have ski-ing parties of old and young together.

Little Miss Ruby Stables attended the W. I. meeting and received a warm welcome a connoisseur in babies says Ruby is the "cutest little thing" you ever saw.

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Hand-Picking of Canada's Immigration

Result of One of the Lessons Learned

During the first half of the current fiscal year which ended September 30 there were admitted into Canada 68,934 persons. These persons came to the Dominion with the idea of making their homes here. Accompanying this company to border or coastal ports were 12,500 others who were refused admission. Thus it may be seen at a glance that about one out of every six who sought admission to our wide Dominion was denied. Of these rejections 12,205 were made at boundary points in Canada and 495 at ocean ports.

These figures should go a great distance towards dispelling the idea that Canada is still the refuge of everyone, good or bad, who cares to come. Canada is hand-picking immigration these days as a result of one of the lessons learned during the war.

The total of twelve and a half thousand rejections was made up of 8,232 who failed to comply with the requirements of the Immigration Act, which states that a person, not a citizen of Canada, must enter this country by continuous passage from the country in which he is a citizen; 3,845 persons had not sufficient cash, and 311 others adjudged liable to become a public charge.

The immigration into Canada from the British Isles was mostly that of wives and children of Canadian soldiers who married overseas. There were 25,674 in this class, while 3,173 were of the farming class, the remainder including domestic servants and other highly desirable people. From the United States there came 31,880 people. Of these, 14,299 were farmers and their families. The others were settlers of the best class. Of those who came from other lands, numbering 3,457, the majority were farmers with their wives and children.

Big Canal Scheme

To Build Ocean Waterway to Enter the Great Lakes

Preliminaries are about completed for the reference to the international joint commission of the question of deepening and canalizing the St. Lawrence route so as to permit of ocean navigation to the head of the Great Lakes. It is a joint proposal between the United States and Canada relating not only to navigation, but to the development of immense water powers also. The question, largely engineering problems, of overcoming obstacles, has been prepared by W. J. Stewart, Dominion hydrographer, representing Canada, and Colonel Keeler on behalf of the United States government. The questions are now before the two governments, and when approved will go to the international commission, which will soon start its enquiry.

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The general idea is to construct an ocean waterway of the projected depth of the new Welland Canal and capable of enabling ocean-going ships now stopping at Montreal to go on to Toronto and thence on the Lakes. Cargoes of merchandise can be carried to Fort William or the American lake ports and grain taken back.

If the scheme be carried out, it will mean much in the development of different ports and adjacent country along the route.

The potential water power development is placed at four millions, of which 2,800,000 is wholly in Canadian territory and 1,200,000 along the international part of the St. Lawrence. The development is planned to be joint, but it will introduce a question of the respective rights of the Dominion and the provinces, notably the hydro of Ontario. There are various schemes both as to navigation and power development, and the commission will advise as to which of these are the most practical.

Calgary's Steady Growth

Building in Calgary Has Been Going Ahead By Leaps and Bounds

Building permits issued in Calgary, Alberta, during the present year will aggregate nearly two and a quarter million dollars by the end of this month, according to the records of the city engineer's office, making the present year one of the banner years since the big building boom before the war.

Up to the end of November, building permits issued totalled \$2,177,000, and the permits issued this month probably run between \$20,000 and \$25,000. From inquiries pouring into the engineer's office, it is apparent that the coming year of 1920 will fully equal the early boom years in building, as there are a number of big buildings in sight, including the federal post office, which probably will cost in the neighborhood of \$1,500,000. There is also talk of more than one large office building in the centre section of the city.

Comparative figures for all the months of the three years of 1917, 1918 and 1919 show that building in Calgary has been going ahead by leaps and bounds, in fact more than doubling the aggregate each year. For instance, the total building permits issued in 1917 aggregated \$564,000. In 1918 the total was \$1,196,800, and the total for 1919 will be in the vicinity of \$2,250,000, while indications for 1920 are for more than double the latter amount. Moreover, the increase has been very steady; for 1919, for instance, nearly every month showed a substantial increase over the same month of the preceding year.

Bank clearings have also been showing a steady increase over the corresponding months' figures for previous years. The clearings for the year 1919 are estimated at \$360,000,000, or an increase of \$29,000,000 over the total of 1918.

Why Bread Gets Stale

Due to Low Temperatures, and Not Loss of Moisture

The reason bread becomes stale has been investigated recently by Professor J. R. Katz, of Amsterdam, who has discovered that the staleness is due to low temperatures, and not merely to loss of moisture. The experiments of Professor Katz were based upon the keeping of bread for 48 hours after it was taken out of the oven. He found that if the temperature was maintained at 140 degrees Fahrenheit the bread was quite fresh at the end of the period, but if the temperature was reduced to 122 degrees Fahrenheit a certain amount of staleness was discernible, the process becoming more rapid until a temperature of about three degrees below freezing point was reached. Curiously enough, at lower temperatures than this the degree of staleness is reduced, until at a temperature of liquid air the bread is again perfectly fresh. On the strength of these experiments it has been suggested that bread could be kept fresh till required for use by placing it in a fireless cooker immediately after removal from the oven.

The Chinese divide the day into 12 parts of two hours each.

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Large Amount Paid For Seeds

Balance Sheet for Seed Purchasing Commission Found Correct

The consolidated balance sheet covering the operations of the Canadian government seed purchasing commission for the past three years, has been audited and found correct. The total sums advanced by the department of finance for the purchase of seed supplies, on requisition from the Dominion seed commissioner, amounted to \$11,896,540.96; and the total funds to the receiver-general from the proceeds of sales was \$11,903,437.76. Net assets, including seed grain in storage, are valued at \$37,888.85. The salaries and expenses of the experienced seed branch officers, comprising the staff of the commission, were not charged against the cost of the seed. The order-in-council which established the seed purchasing commission directed that the seed supplies should be purchased, stored, cleaned, sacked where necessary, and sold at the net cost as nearly as might be determined.

The business of the commission covers the period beginning October, 1916, and ending September, 1919. It includes the purchase and sale of seed wheat, oats, barley, rye, corn, peas and beans, subject always to inspection as to the established grades for seed grain which were provided under the Seed Control Act. Inspection was administered by the feed branch. Every car lot of seed purchased or sold was examined by seed inspectors, and samples were submitted for tests as to purity and germination by the Dominion seed laboratories at Ottawa, Winnipeg, or Calgary.

This system of meeting emergency seed situations was adopted on the recommendation of the seed commissioner. It is based on the establishment of official seed grades for grain, and on the principle that municipal governing bodies supported by their provincial governments are in the best position to deal with the extension of credits to needy farmers.

German Trade Resumed.

The United States and Great Britain have resumed heavy trading with Germany since the signing of the armistice. Exports from United States to Germany for the first 10 months of the year totalled \$52,420,095, and imports from Germany \$4,914,787. Great Britain, from the signing of the armistice to October 31, exported to Germany goods valued at more than \$80,000,000, and received imports from Germany valued at \$1,087,000.



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Aliens in Salmon Fisheries

The Fraser River Fishermen's Protective Association has passed a resolution demanding that the salmon fisheries of British Columbia be reserved for white men and Indians. The resolution would restrict the fisheries to British subjects on the voters' list and Canadian-Indians, whether British-born or naturalized. Nearly 50 per cent. of the fishermen are Japanese, and they number among the most expert salmon fishers in the province. The government is prepared to prevent aliens participating in the industry, but hundreds of the Japanese are naturalized.

Sure! High Heels Cause Corns But Who Cares Now

Because style decrees that women crowd and buckle up their tender toes in high heel footwear they suffer from corns, then they cut and trim at these painful pests, which merely make the corn grow hard. This suicidal habit may cause lockjaw, and women are warned to stop it.

A few drops of a drug called freezone applied directly upon a sore corn gives quick relief and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts out without pain. Ask the drug store man for a quarter of an ounce of freezone, which costs very little, but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet.

This drug is an ether compound and dries in a moment and simply shrivels up the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin. Clip it right out and pin on your wife's dresser.

New Use For Echoes

Device Invented for Taking Soundings at Sea.

An inventor in Oakland, California, has found a new and practical use for echoes, and as a result the time may come when the practice of "heaving the lead" at sea will be known only in historical novels and old maritime history. The marimeter, as the new device is called, sends a sound from the keel of the ship to the bottom of the sea; the sound comes back as an echo, and the journey, automatically recorded on a diaphragm, is translated in terms of length. The report shows the depth of water between keel and bottom, calculated from the known speed of a sound-wave in salt water, and the knowledge may be acquired at the rate of four soundings a minute, which is very much faster than by older methods. The marimeter, to be sure, has only recently gone to sea, if indeed the steamer Governor, which will carry the first of them, has yet left dry dock in Seattle, Washington. But the instrument promises to add materially to the security of ocean traffic. — Christian Science Monitor.

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Manners to Animals.

A "Little Book of Manners" has just been published in Ireland which contains a chapter on "Manners to Animals." The author recognizes the fact that the real gentleman, however, would not sooner be rude or coarse in his treatment of animals than in his treatment of men.

It's folly to make a friend of a man your dog dislikes.

GIN PILLS
FOR THE KIDNEYS

Further Trouble Appears To Be Pending in Egypt

Cairo. — A conversation between Viscount Milner, special British commissioner, with the Grand Mufti of Egypt, who is the religious chief of the Mohammedans in Egypt, is reported in the newspaper El Misr, in which the Grand Mufti attributed the present troubled spirit to the country's disappointed expectation regarding its independence.

Lord Milner contended that a protectorate was necessary to Egypt's interests and that a discussion could settle nine out of ten disputed points. The Mufti replied that no Egyptian would enter into a discussion except on the basis of independence. Lord Milner maintained that some Egyptians were willing to discuss the subject, but fear deterred them.

The Grand Mufti declared that every country has its traitors but every patriot would refuse to enter into such a discussion.

The commissioner sought to convince him that Great Britain was actuated by friendship and did not wish to impose her will forcibly although able to do so. To this the Grand Mufti replied:

"As religious chief, I can only say and affirm that it is impossible to convince a nation of the futility of a thing of which I myself am unconvinced. The entire nation claims its independence and it would therefore be useless to speak in any other language. I do not forget your power, but if Egyptians bend today before force they will seize the first occasion to revolt. The guarantee of force is not eternal.

"Between Syria, occupied by France, and Tripoli, occupied by Italy, it is better for you that Egypt be independent and friendly."

Lord Milner contended that the Mufti's arguments did not prevent a discussion and asked him to discuss the questions. But the Mufti replied: "We can have no discussion until the protectorate is withdrawn."

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At the first sign that the blood is out of order take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and note the speedy improvement they make in the appetite, health and spirits. You can get these pills through any dealer in medicine or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Italian's Death Is Causing Trouble

Native Trying to Turn Incident to Political Uses.

Cairo. — Italians here are greatly excited over the killing of an Italian musician by a British soldier and are getting the sympathy of a section of the natives who are trying to turn the incident to political uses. A military picket was holding up traffic to allow troops to pass. The Italian tried to break through, but was thrust back; whereupon he struck a soldier. Another soldier inflicted injuries on the Italian from which he died.

The students of Alahzar university threatened a demonstration at the funeral, but the Italian consul, who accepted the British official explanation, diverted the procession. A few hundred Egyptians demonstrated in the streets, denouncing Great Britain and cheering for Italy.

More Play For School Children

Dr. John Noble Advocates More Outdoor Exercise in Public Schools of Ontario.

Ottawa. — In the education of the children in the public schools of the province more money should be spent on hockey sticks and less on text books, declared Dr. John Noble, chairman of the Toronto board of education, speaking at the conference of the Urban School Trustees' association here. He advocated more play, more outdoor work and increased attractions for the younger children, especially including music, dancing and theatricals.

Mopping Up Continues

Four Hundred Reds Are Held For Deportation.

Detroit. — Examination of the 900 alleged radicals taken in raids here has been completed and more than 300 prisoners were turned over to immigration officials. Including those arrested in the November raids four hundred prisoners are now held here for deportation.

Sir Robert Borden Joins Lord Jellicoe. West Palm Beach, Fla. — Sir Robert Borden, who has been spending a brief vacation in Florida, left with Admiral Viscount Jellicoe, former British first sea lord, who passed through here en route from Washington to Key West. It was understood that Sir Robert would go to Cuba, where Viscount Jellicoe will board a British warship.

Agreement With G. T. Approved.

Ottawa. — Another step toward the completion of the government end of the agreement for the purchase of the Grand Trunk railway system was made with the approval by the government-in-council of the form of an agreement between the government and the Grand Trunk company. Announcement was made that the agreement had been approved.

Largest Hotel for Women Only.

New York. — The largest hotel in America, exclusively for women and designed especially for business women and those of moderate means, will be erected in the heart of New York at Fifty-seventh street and Lexington avenue. It will contain approximately 700 rooms to be rented at \$1 to \$2 a day.

Will Fight To Keep Odessa.

London. — Odessa, the chief Black Sea port of Russia, will not be given up to the advancing Bolshevik without a struggle, it is indicated in a Central News despatch from Odessa. The message says that Gen. Schilling is hurrying the defence preparations there. No panic has been caused by the prospect of active hostilities in or near the city, it is declared.

Prospects Are Good For Overseas Trade

W. C. Nixon Speaks Highly of Situation in Britain and Other European Countries.

Ottawa. — Prospects for Canada's overseas trade, both in Great Britain and other European countries are excellent, according to W. C. Nixon, who was a member of the Canadian trade mission in London with Lloyd Harris, and who is in this city in conference with Sir George Foster and other members of the government and the Canadian trade commission in regard to overseas trade matters.

In the conference held a plan for continuing the trade representation and activities in Great Britain and other countries is being formulated and it is believed will be satisfactorily completed within a few days.

Mr. Nixon expects to return to London about the end of the month. While in Canada he will also confer with Lloyd Harris.

To Find Agreement on Peace.

Washington. — Senator Underwood, Democrat, Alabama, served notice in the senate that unless the deadlock over the treaty of Versailles was broken within a few days, he would press his resolution calling for the appointment of a bi-partisan committee of the senate to work out some agreement.

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Visit Was Satisfactory.

Paris. — Prince Faisal, son of the King of the Hedjaz, has left Paris. The temps says it is informed that the negotiations of Prince Faisal with the French government resulted in a complete accord, by which the prince admits the formation of an Arabian state to include Damascus, Aleppo, Homs, and Hamah, under the administration of Prince Faisal, with the assistance of French officials.

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Red Activity In Britain As Well As U. S.

Thirty Million Russians Have Died

Death Toll Exclusive of Five Million Men Killed on the Russian Front.

New York. — Thirty million men, women and children have died in Russia from violence, famine and disease in the last three years, according to a statement on present conditions in the once-great empire, which was made by Princess Cantacuzene-Speransky, grand daughter of Ulysses Grant, in an appeal in behalf of the American Central committee for Russian relief. The tremendous death toll mentioned by the princess was exclusive, she said, of five million men who had laid down their lives on the Russian front, fighting for the allies.

Manitoba to Have Mounted Police

Organized for the Purpose of Enforcing Law in Remote Sections.

Winnipeg. — A provincial mounted police force is to be organized in Manitoba for the purpose of enforcing law in the new Rice Lake and The Pas mining companies and other remote sections. Col. J. G. Rattray, D.S.O., recently appointed chief of the provincial law enforcement department, announced. The new force will be remodelled, it is understood, after the Saskatchewan mounted police, which has met with considerable success since its organization three years ago.

Food Situation Bad in Berlin

Authorities Charge That Present Supplies Are Mere Patchwork.

Berlin. — Papers discuss at great length and with much concern the food situation of the immediate future, so far as Berlin is concerned. Mayor Wermuth and his associates in the municipalities are not satisfied with the assurances given them in the course of their conference with the government. They assert that the government is unduly optimistic in view of the actual conditions.

The national grain bureau is disposing of only sufficient wheat supplies to ensure flour deliveries for fourteen days. Unless stocks are quickly moved, it is admitted that the capital is facing a genuine catastrophe at the beginning of February. The municipal authorities charge that the present makeshifts are mere patchwork and that they merely suffice to tide over the provisional shortage.

The city of Berlin is allowing a two-pound turnip ration as a partial offset to the potato shortage.

Clemenceau as President

Declares, However, That He Has Not Made Himself Candidate.

Paris. — The exact words of Premier Clemenceau on his return to Paris, with regard to the presidency, was thus described by Gustave Hervé's newspaper Victoire: "I have not declared myself a candidate but if I am borne to the presidency of the republic I will accept."

The Echo de Paris quoted the Premier as having said: "The truth is the presidency of the republic is being forced upon me. I am being carried to the post."

Lenine Makes New Peace Offer.

Stockholm. — Nicolai Lenine, Russian Bolshevik premier, has made a new peace offer to the allies, which is being taken to London by Colonel Tallents, British representative in the Baltic states. Among other conditions included in the offer by Lenine is a promise to abolish terrorism and the activity of revolutionary tribunals, according to an Estonian newspaper.

London. — Bolshevik agitators in this country were working energetically along lines similar to those projected by the radicals in America, namely, the overthrow of the government and the establishment of a soviet form of government. It is thought probable that the plans on this side of the Atlantic have not yet reached the point achieved by those in the United States, but it is believed that the radicals here are rapidly reaching the point where they might seize upon some big labor strike as an opportunity for starting a revolutionary movement.

While these facts are common knowledge to close observers of the situation, it is said to be impossible for the British authorities under the present ultra-liberal laws of free speech to do much more than watch the progress of events. In other words, it is declared the British, broadly speaking, cannot take preventive measures, but must be content to deal with some actual event.

Great Britain can and does deport undesirable aliens, but in the case of British subjects the situation is more delicate.

There are only a few big Red leaders, but they have a sufficient following to form a goodly sized nucleus for organization. Their whole effort now is centred in sowing the seeds of discontent and they are banking on the employment of mob psychology in starting trouble in the event of a widespread strike, according to the authorities.

The Red idea, it is asserted, is to work for affiliation with existing organizations, rather than for the creation of new ones. The agitators cannot be reached by the law except for direct indictment to revolt or for some other breach of the peace.

Famous Albert Hall, with all its historic associations connected with the throne, has been used for what virtually were Bolshevik meetings at which extremist speeches were delivered and the "Red Flag" was sung to the accompaniment of the great organ. Similar meetings are regularly held in Hyde Park and other places in London and the police are bound to protect the speakers so long as there is no actual breach of the peace. Still Great Britain seemingly is not unduly discouraged at the trend of events, believing in the power of the law to cope with any actual attempt to use force and trusting in the good sense of the public not to be misled by propaganda.

Prince May Visit Japan.

Vancouver. — Information has been received from Tokio by S. Ukita, Japanese consul here, to the effect that the Prince of Wales probably will visit Japan this spring. He will extend his tour of Australia and India so as to embrace Japan. The compliment will be returned by the Japanese Crown Prince visiting Great Britain, if plans now under consideration of the emperor mature.

It costs eight cents to have a collar laundered in Paris.

A Frightful Death, Suffocated By Asthma

The Dread of Such An Unhappy End Oppresses Every Sufferer

Every sufferer from Asthma knows the terror, the abject fear that overcomes them when struggling for breath. The old-fashioned remedies may relieve, but never cure. Best results come from Catearrhazone, which cures Asthma after hope is abandoned. It's because Catearrhazone kills the asthma germ that it cures. Choking spells and labored breathing are relieved, suffocating sensations and loss of breath are cured. Every trace of asthma is driven from the system, and even old chronic experience immediate relief and lasting cure. Equally good for Bronchitis, throat trouble and Catarrh. The large one dollar outfit includes the inhaler and lasts two months. Sold by all dealers, or from the Catearrhazone Co., Kingston, Canada.

ENGLISH ADVERTISING.

War's Aftermath as Found in the Newspapers.

When an Englishman wishes to focus public attention upon his pet schemes; when he wants to start a new religion or propagate an old one; when he wants money or a new collyie pup, he advertises in the columns of his favorite newspaper. There is a wealth of human interest in those advertising columns of the great British dailies. None of the usual British reticence is there. The lady of quality and the charwoman, the jobless and the wealthy, all unite in the effort to gain the public eye and ear. House-hunting also, is done through the advertising columns. There is more than a dash of the Canadian-verbal comments on May 1, visible in some of the efforts to attract attention. The following is a typical example:

Un-British cruelty—No medium-size houses to let, outskirts London, for invalid, disabled, or war-strained gentle-born. Desires considerate landlords die on Aug. 4, 1914? Will noble survivors (if any) kindly reply, with particulars. "Invalid," Box F. 141, the Times.

The propaganda "ad" is also common. Religious subjects occur frequently, and the opponents of vice-section also lose no opportunity to keep their hobby before the public. An example of the religious appeal follows:

"What shall it profit a nation if it win a great war and lose its own soul? Send 1/4d for a copy of a leaflet bearing this title to A. E. McAdam, 45 Leekpark, S.E. 21."

Every housemaid airs her secret aspirations to ladyship. In her search for employment she is never a "woman." A "lady" wishes to undertake a "post" as "Cook general" and she volunteers the rather surprising information that she is thoroughly "domesticated." For "work she requires" wages of £35 to £40 or, approximately, \$144 to \$180 for the year.

Householders in the best parts of London, on the other hand, reveal to the world the innermost secrets of their menage. One may readily ascertain how many maids, menservants are maintained, the number of appetites that must be satisfied, the frequency of guests and similar matters. The English servant is also cautious to a degree, for many prospective employers take pains to forewarn applicants that there are "no knives or boots," and often that there are no coal fires, that parlor and scullery maids are kept and that charwomen are employed twice weekly, etc.

References are very much more important than in America. Practically no position is open except to those who can furnish "characters." It is the same whether the place demands a man with a salary of many hundreds or a shopgirl with a guinea a week.

Until the expiration of the war the demand for "Lady Shorthand-Typists" was heavy and a system of yearly or half-yearly bonuses was instituted. The requirements would be extraordinary in this country, and particularly at the low wages of \$13.50 in the following offer:

"Merchant's Office—Shorthand typist (lady) required in merchant's office. Permanent position. French, Spanish essential. Salary £3 week; bonus half-yearly. Hours 9.30 to 4. Wire, stating age, experience, speeds, to Pim, 19, Bury street, E.C. 3."

For lesser accomplishments the rate falls to £2 and £2.10s.

Another aftermath of the war is visible in the many appeals for aid. The personal columns often reveal the tragedies of the Flanders Field or of the lone watches in the North Sea, or of the "apuros versenkt" policy. There are the minor tragedies of the demobilized and crippled soldier who cannot find employment, of the men who are no longer fit for their trades, and of many others. There are also the gloomy, despairing appeals such as this one:

"Lady, with two young children left penniless under most tragic circumstances, implores help. Particulars and references. Box Q 26, the Times."

Another influence of the war is apparent in a great many "ads." In two or three inches of a column it is possible to find men who wish to go to South Angola or Demerara or New South Wales, and the established colonies like India and South Africa also furnish much desired fields. These efforts to obtain employment reflect the industrial status of the mother country at this time, because most of those men who wish to emigrate are discharged officers with records of capable and efficient service, the class of men that seldom has difficulty in finding employment at home.

Up Against It.

"How are you getting along with the semaphore system in Plunkville?" "We'd get along all right," said the Plunkville policeman, "if we could just keep people from stealing our semaphores."

He Wants to Know.

"Senator, these ladies have collected a lot of your speeches." "Yes." "Don't you feel flattered?" "Dunno. Do they want 'em to read or to make a bonfire with?"

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Meals At All Hours

Fruit, Confectionery, Soft Drinks
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This Spring, it will be to your advantage to get our prices on

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MONITOR : : ALBERTA

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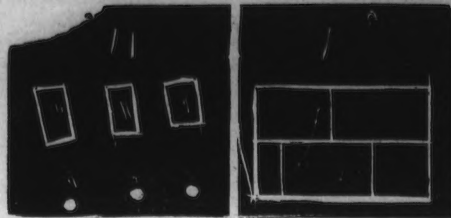
White Fish 15c per lb.
Herring \$8 per 100

Try our Calf meal at 2.50 per sack

A. Grace Proprietor

A Renewal of Your Subscription
Will be highly Appreciated.

The Puzzle Corner



Puzzle No. 1 In this puzzle the contestant is to draw a line through every wall of the five rooms, without cutting any wall twice.

Puzzle No. 2 Here we have 3 houses and 3 Hydrants. Each hydrant can throw 3 hoses. The object is to draw 1 hose from each hydrant to each house (9 hoses in all) without crossing any of the hose. Prizes are offered for correct solutions.

If you have a puzzle that is a teaser, send it along

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We have Dress Material for sale in yard lengths, Agents for
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It not only does your work at lower cost than horses but it helps you to grow bigger crops and saves the acreage that usually goes to feed the horses.

The Fordson pays its way from the minute you buy it. Let us show you how it works.

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An Excelsior Policy will provide for its payment whether you live or die. Write us today for pamphlets.

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Wood's Peppermint Cure.
The Great English Remedy.
It cures Croup, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, Asthma, Bronchitis, and all the ailments of the Throat, Lungs, and Chest. It is sold in bottles of 1/6 and 1/3. Price 1/6 per bottle, six for 1/3. Sold by all druggists or mailed in plain package on receipt of price. **THE WOODS MEDICINE CO., TORONTO, ONT.** (Inventor, Windsor, Ont.)

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BOOK ON DOG DISEASES
How to Feed and How to Cure. Address by the Author. **H. CLAY GLOVER, CO., INC., 118 West 31st Street, New York, U.S.A.**

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Remit by Dominion Express Money Order. If lost or stolen, you get your money back.

Her Suggestion.
"I can't raise \$50—that's all there is to that. I got a notice from my bank this morning that I had overdrawn!"
"Well, try some other bank. They can't all be overdrawn!"—Vanity Fair.

HEALTH FOR THE BABY

The baby of today is the man or woman of tomorrow. Thus the success of the future man or woman depends upon the baby's present welfare. If the baby is sickly and ill-nourished it is not to be expected that he will grow into a strong, active man who will hold his own in the business world a few years hence. Mothers, it is a duty you owe the future to keep your little ones well. This can be easily done if Baby's Own Tablets are kept in the house. The Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative which regulate the bowels and sweeten the stomach and thus make baby healthy and strong. Concerning them Mrs. W. Orser, Elginburg, Ont., writes:—"I have a fine healthy boy three years and have used Baby's Own Tablets for him ever since he was a small baby. I certainly think them a splendid medicine." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

If men were serpents women would all want to be professional snake charmers.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Stops Irritation; Soothes and Heals. You can get restful sleep after the first application. Price 60c.

What Passed.
A family row was being aired in court.

"Describe what passed between you in the quarrel with your wife," said the judge.

"The plates were regular dinner size, your honor, and the teapot had a broken spout," replied the man on the stand.—London Ideas.

Froude, it is said, wrote each paragraph of his history five times before selecting the one finally adopted.

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FOR ALL KIDNEY DISEASE
BRUINEMIA
BRIGHT'S DISEASE
DIABETES
GRAVEL
23 THE PRO

Present Flag to City

Winchester, England, Gives Token of Friendship to Winchester, Va.
As an expression of friendship of the people of Winchester, England, through which 1,000,000 American soldiers passed on their overseas journey to join the American Expeditionary Forces, the original municipal flag of the ancient British city has been presented to its American namesake, Winchester, Virginia.

KNOCKS OUT PAIN THE FIRST ROUND

Comforting relief from pain makes Sloan's the World's Liniment

This famous reliever of rheumatic aches, soreness, stiffness, painful sprains, neuralgic pains; and most other external twinges that humanity suffers from, enjoys its great sales because it practically never fails to bring speedy, comforting relief. Always ready for use, it takes little to penetrate without rubbing and produces results. Clean, refreshing. At all drug stores. 35c, 70c, \$1.40. Made in Canada.

Sloan's Liniment
Keep it handy

Getting Gold Out of Australia.
Australia forbids the export of gold without authority, but the Chinese who go back to their own land on a visit show considerable ingenuity in taking away the coveted sovereign. Recently customs inspectors made a rich haul in a ransack bag the back of a shaving mirror, an alarm clock, and the leather band of a hat. The Chinese cheerfully paid the fines imposed on them and were delighted when the confiscated gold was returned to them.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.
Gentlemen—Last winter I received great benefit from the use of MINARD'S LINIMENT in a severe attack of LaGrippe, and I have frequently proved it to be very effective in cases of inflammation.

W. A. HUTCHINSON.

Somehow, one's plain duty is usually too plain to be attractive.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

The opposite side of the street is one thing that never comes to a man who waits.

His Flesh Horribly Burnt

His druggist sold him a cheap acid corn cure; what he should have bought was Putnam's Corn Extractor; it's purely vegetable and acts in 24 hours. Insist on only "Putnam's Extractor," 25c at all dealers.

Control of Constantinople.

Internationalization of Constantinople and the Straits of Dardanelles has been decided upon along the lines laid down by Premier Lloyd George of Great Britain, in a recent speech, according to the Paris Matin. It seems certain, the newspaper says, that the seat of the Turkish government will be transferred to Asia Minor and be located either at Brusa or Koniah. Details of the form of international control which will be established over Constantinople have not as yet become known.

Smoking in the streets of London was not known until introduced by officers who had returned from the Crimea.

Trying to keep from worrying in what worries some people.

W. N. U. 1298

Canada's School Problem

In the course of an address recently delivered at Ottawa by Dr. J. H. Furnham, inspector of public schools, he dealt with the need of getting the right men and women as teachers in their schools. He declared that if the people of Canada desired a higher type of citizenship, they would have to have a type of teacher with the characteristics of maturity and of permanence—characteristics for which they would have to pay. The majority of people, he said, had not grasped the significance of the teacher in the elementary schools.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County—ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State of Ohio, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A.D. 1916.

(Seal) A. W. Gleason, Notary Public.
HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System.
Druggists, 75c. Testimonials free.
F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Can Always Find It.

"Never mind, old chap, I know of one place where happiness is always to be found."

"Oh, where's that?"

"In the dictionary."

Many a man's reputation casts a shadow over his character.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.


If justice were really blind she wouldn't be able to wink at her favorites.

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INSTANCES KNOWN OF OVER TWENTY YEARS SERVICE
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save 25 to 40% gasoline, eliminates carbon, makes every car run smoother, and give more "pep".
Apply to your local dealer or direct. Agents wanted in territory or towns still open.
Made in Canada.
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711 Confederation Life, Winnipeg, Man.



Wolves have a singular fear of a certain sound of music. Experiments have shown that low minor chords on a violin cause the greatest agitation in them.

The scales of a fish don't give it a weigh.

The British Empire.

The area of the British Empire and its Protectorate is about 11,500,000 square miles or more than one-fifth of the total land surface of the globe. The population is over 417,000,000 or about one-fourth of the world's inhabitants.

The Increased Price of Wheat

The Canadian Wheat Board has announced an increase of 50c a bushel in the price of wheat to the millers. This action has been taken because Mr. Julius Barnes, of the United States Grain Corporation has succeeded in his attempt to have removed those war-time restrictions which prevented the free entry of Canadian wheat into the United States. The farmers of Western Canada must appreciate what has been done for them by Mr. Barnes.

There was a time when there was loud discussion in Canada as to what effect free wheat between Canada and the United States would have upon the price of wheat. It was argued on the one side that the price of wheat at Minneapolis would be reduced to the Canadian level, and it was as emphatically asserted on the other side that the price of Canadian wheat would approach to the higher level usually obtaining in Minneapolis. Upon whichever side of the controversy the merits of the case lay, those who argued against free wheat won in the reciprocity election of 1911.

Many things have happened since the year 1911, so many that we are living now in a new order of things altogether. Amongst the many changes that have taken place are those affecting trade in wheat as between Canada and the United States. Both countries have removed the duty on wheat. So far as governments and parliaments are concerned, free trade in wheat between Canada and the United States is now the law. During the war, and for many months after the Armistice was signed, both countries maintained restriction which made free wheat impossible. Now, however, the United States Government has removed all those restrictions, while the Canadian authorities have not. We have now a one-sided free wheat between the two countries, and the immediate result of this is an increase to the Canadian farmer of 50c a bushel in the price of his wheat.

Have the farmers of Western Canada changed their attitude in regard to free wheat? The question sounds comical now that they have at last a concrete demonstration of the value of the American market. But the question is not as comical as it sounds, and for this reason there is not a chance in a hundred that the United States will keep its market open if Canada continues its present method of selling wheat. The farmers of the United States, especially of the spring wheat growing areas, cannot be expected to look with favor upon the free entry of Canadian wheat into their markets, and they will find allies in the United States in any attempt they may make to re-impose the duty or the restrictions. And in making such an attempt their spokesmen can make use of the kind of argument which has never failed to find a response in the United States.

They can argue that while Canada has removed the duty upon American wheat, it still maintains its restrictions, because American wheat and flour cannot come into Canada except through a permit or a license from the Wheat Board. Not only so, but it can be argued with perhaps still greater effect, that American millers cannot purchase Canadian wheat on commercial terms and by commercial methods; that if they attempt to purchase Canadian wheat they can deal only with a Wheat Board which has a statutory monopoly of all Canadian wheat, and that, therefore, the Canadian market is not only closed as against United States wheat and flour by its licensing system, but also that this form of protection is reinforced and strengthened by the Canadian Government method of selling.

It is impossible to show that this argument is false. This being the case, it is unthinkable that the United States will long keep her market opened to Canadian wheat if Canada continues this method of selling. True enough, the United States authorities have not objected so far as the present crop year is concerned, and they have not objected for the simple reason that they have no logical foundation upon which to base such an objection so far as this year is concerned. If Canada has a Wheat Board, they have a United States Grain Corporation. If Canada has restrictions still, they had restrictions until the other day. The operations of their Grain Corporation were so limited since the beginning of the present crop year that it was no inconvenience to them to remove their restrictions against Canadian wheat in the middle of the crop year.

The operations of the Canadian Wheat Board are so complicated that it cannot be expected that they should cease their operations before the end of the present crop year. So far, therefore, as the handling of this year's crop is concerned, there is no reason why the United States should object to Canada's method of selling her wheat, but should Canada maintain her present method of selling beyond this crop year, there is not a chance in a hundred that the United States will keep her markets open free to Canadian wheat.

It would be a curious development if, while the farmers in 1911 fought and voted for free wheat, they should for 1920 adopt a method of marketing Canadian wheat which would as inevitably defeat free wheat between Canada and the United States as thoroughly as it was defeated in 1911.

The above article appeared in the Winnipeg Telegram December 29th. Without expressing any opinion on it I think it is worthy of the most careful consideration.

JOHN E. BOTTERELL,
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MONITOR CASH HARDWARE

Weekly Discussions

A free-for-all discussion group has been organized and meets each Sunday from 12 noon to 12:50 in the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Wright. Any Subject that you wish will be taken up and discussed carefully and fearlessly. The subject for next Sunday is "Nobility of Soul in the Treatment of Enemies Slanderers and Competitors". All grown-ups are heartily welcomed. Nine were present last Sunday. We are having a good time. Come. J. L. Wright.

CHURCH NOTICES

The co-operating Presbyterian and Methodist Service will be held as usual next Sunday, January 11th in Monitor from 1 to 2 p.m. (Miss Carroll, Soloist) and in Kirriemuir at 7:30 p.m. (Mrs. Kay, Soloist) Everybody is cordially invited to come and worship. Rev. J. L. Wright, pastor.

Hillnvalle School District

The Annual Meeting of the Hillnvalle ratepayers was held on Monday afternoon at the residence of J. Mitchell with twenty ratepayers in attendance. There was no discussion upon any of the various reports and statements read by the Secretary and there were no complaints on the conduct of the affairs of the School District by the Board.

J. Mitchell whose term of office as trustee having expired was duly declared re-elected there being no other person nominated for the position.

Owing to the above facts there was considerable time left for other business and Vincent Hill brought up the subject of erecting a memorial to the soldiers from Hillnvalle School district who served in the Great War. The meeting was unanimous in its decision to erect a memorial and on the motion of J. Mitchell it was decided unanimously to erect a flag pole base on the school grounds as a memorial to the soldiers from Hillnvalle School District.

The flag pole base will consist of a series of steps in the form of a pyramid with a deep hole running down the centre for

Transient Ads.

Advertisements under this head are 50c. for first insertion 25c. for each successive insertion.

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STONELAW U.F.A.

Stonelaw U.F.A. will hold their regular meetings as follows:

First Friday in the month at Minor Schoolhouse and the 3rd Friday in the month at Stonelaw Schoolhouse.

the insertion of a flag pole. The higher steps will have inscribed on their sides the names and other data of the soldiers from the Hillnvalle School District who served in the War and Smith Hill will do the work. Later it is intended to put a fence around the memorial enclosing a small piece of ground for a flower garden. Mrs. Gundersen next introduced a discussion about planting trees on the school ground and most of the ratepayers present promised to share in the work the ladies kindly offering to provide something to eat.

A very quiet and orderly meeting closed about 4:30 p.m.

Local Happenings Obituary

The death of little Floyd Stewart age 4 years and 5 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Stewart, happened at 2 a.m. Monday January 12th 1920. Death was due to Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis. The funeral took place at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, at the Monitor cemetery. Rev. J. L. Wright officiating.

The pall-bearers were Leslie and Dalton Tinkles, Tommie Carroll and Hector MacDonald.

The sympathy of the community goes out to Mr. and Mrs. Stewart in their sorrow.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stone, at West Shefford Quebec on January 4th a son.

Mrs. H. Hayes is visiting with friends in Lacombe, Alta.

Mr. Blair, representative of the Ford Motor Co. of Calgary, Alta. was a business visitor in town on Wednesday.

Word was recently received by C. B. Horach, the Ford agent here, that Ford cars have advanced in price \$50.00.

CORRECTION

Owing to mislaid copy, the article on the front page re the Village council reads that P. Moth was elected Sec-Treasurer. This, of course, is wrong. Mr. Moth was re-elected Reeve, and Mr. Wickenden re-elected Sec-Treas.

Four of Coronations best players journeyed to Monitor last Tuesday with the intention of relieving Monitor of the custody of the Blair Cup. A team was rapidly chosen from the available players in Monitor, who more than defended the title and the cup. The game was a splendid one from all points of view, and goes to prove that Monitor can hold her own and then some in any undertaking. The score at the end of the game was 25 points to 7, in favor of the home town. Following are the players who participated.

CORONATION RINK
M. Clark Lead
J. Bonnell Second
G. Short Third
G. Dillon Skip

MONITOR RINK
C. Horach Lead
R. Dickson Second
W. McKenzie Third
J. Hamer Skip

NOTICE

All Parties Knowing themselves indebted to the Monitor Cash Hardware will please call and settle at once I need money and must have settlement of accts. Many of you can pay every cent you owe. Those of you who cannot pay all, try and pay a part of your acct. and those who cannot pay cash, come in and settle with note due next Oct. I have given you credit in the past and will try to do so again, but remember, I had to get credit from the wholesalers to assist you and now I ask your assistance so that I can meet my own obligations.

Yours very truly, W. H. OLSON

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